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MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Ootacamund, the 23rd August 1914.

No. 58.—The following notification of the Government of India is republished for general information:—

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

MERCHANT SHIPPING.

Simla, the 24th August 1914.

No. 7582.—The following Royal Proclamation prohibiting British vessels from carrying contraband from one foreign port to any other foreign port is published for general information.

By the subsequent Proclamation republished in Government of India, Foreign and Political Department Notification No. 111-W., dated Simla, the 16th August 1914, it was declared that the words "enemy country" shall be deemed as from the twelfth day of August in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen to include the Dual Monarchy of Austria-Hungary.

BY THE KING

A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE R.I.

WHEREAS a state of war exists between Us on the one hand and the German Empire on the other;

And WHEREAS We have by Proclamation warned all persons resident, carrying on business, or being in Our Possessions, that it is contrary to law for them to have any commercial intercourse with any person resident, carrying on business, or being in the said Empire, or to trade in or carry any goods, wares, or merchandise destined for or coming from the said Empire, or for or from any person resident, carrying on business, or being therein;

Now We do hereby further warn all Our subjects that conformably with that prohibition it is forbidden to carry in British vessels, from any foreign port to any other foreign port, any article comprised in the list of contraband of war issued by Us, unless the shipowner shall have first satisfied himself that the articles are not intended ultimately for use in the enemy country. Any British vessel acting in contravention of this Proclamation will be liable to capture by Our naval forces and to be taken before Our prize courts for adjudication, and any of Our subjects acting in contravention of this Proclamation will be liable to such penalties as the law prescribes.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace this 5th day of August in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen and in the 5th year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

R. E. ENTHOVEN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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A. BUTTERWORTH,
Ag. Chief Secretary.